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1. The following is a list of orders placed with the East German Ministry of Mining and Smelting for the 1953 reparations program:

Product	Amount in Metric tons	Consignee(s)	Amount
<u>Stahl- und Walzwerk Riesa</u>			
Steel castings (Stahlformguss)	1,910	SAG AMO	1,575
		SAG Transmasch	255
		SAG Kabel	80
Forged ingots (Schmiedehloেকে)	2,000	SAG AMO	2,000
Boiler construction work	97	SAG Transmasch	97
Structural metal	770	SAG AMO	770
<u>Stahl- und Walzwerk Groeditz</u>			
Steel castings	1,180	SAG AMO	875
		SAG Transmasch	305
Forged ingots	13,000	SAG AMO	13,000
Malleable iron castings	15	SAG Kabel	15
Forged pieces	1,380	SAG AMO	452
		SAG Transmasch	928
<u>Stahl- und Walzwerk "Wilhelm Florin", Hennigsdorf</u>			
Steel castings	1,406	SAG AMO	1,250
		SAG Transmasch	156
<u>Edelstahlwerk Doehlen, Preital</u>			
Steel castings	50	SAG AMO	50
<u>Maxhuette, Unterwellenborn</u>			
Forged pieces	2,500	SAG Transmasch	2,500

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2. As of 11 November 20 tons of steel castings for SAG AMO and 4,000 tons of iron slabs (Brammen) for the Ernst-Thaelmann Werk still had to be assigned to a plant under the Ministry of Mining and Smelting. The Administration for Soviet Property in Germany had assigned Riessa and Maxhuette the production of the iron slabs, but neither of these factories produces them; only Stahl- und Walzwerk Brandenburg includes iron slabs in its production program. The Ministry of Mining and Smelting was also forced to request the Administration to withdraw its demands for gray iron castings from VEB Kala, Senftenberg, and Eisengleiserei Mittweida, since neither of the plants is administered by the Ministry.

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